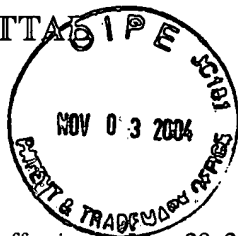


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**REQUEST  
FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)  
TRANSMITTAL**

**MAIL STOP RCE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	09/995,814
Confirmation Number	9735
Filing Date	November 29, 2001
First Named Inventor	Shuji DOI
Group Art Unit	1774
Examiner Name	Marie Rose Yamnitzky
Matter Number	Q67430
Title	POLYMERIC FLUORESCENT SUBSTANCE AND POLYMER LIGHT- EMITTING DEVICE USING THE SAME

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
  - i. ☐ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
  - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
  - iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
  - i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
  - ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
  - iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
  - iv. ☒ Petition for Extension of Time
  - v. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**2. MISCELLANEOUS**

- a. ☒ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of 3 months
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**3. FEES**

Checks for the RCE statutory fee of \$770.00, Extension of Time fee (for three (3) months) of \$980.00 and for the Petition fee (Suspension of Action) of \$130.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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REQUEST FOR SUSPENSION OF ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)

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Sir:

Concurrent with the filing of a RCE, Applicants respectfully request a Suspension of  
Action for a period of three (3) months.

A check for the Petition fee of \$130.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and  
authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to  
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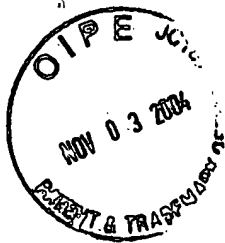
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)**

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Sir:

Applicants concurrently file herewith a RCE, a Petition for Suspension of Action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) and a Petition for Extension of Time (for three (3) months), extending the time for replying to the outstanding Office Action of May 3, 2004 to November 3, 2004. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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